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Applicant(s):	Karri OSARA .	Confirmation No.:	6696
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For:	METHOD FOR THE FORMATION OF A GOOD CONTACT SURFACE ON A CATHODE SUPPORT BAR AND A CONTACT BAR		

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Non-Final Official Action dated June 27, 2007, applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.